

of fish and other products;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) whether the Union Government have approved the project?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES (SHRIGIRIDHAR GOMANGO): (a) No, Sir. No proposal has been received in the Ministry of Food Processing Industries.

(b) and (c). Do not arise.

Capital Investment in Industrial Units in Rajasthan

4883. PROF. RASA SINGH RAWAT: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the number of proposals regarding Capital investment in new industrial units in Rajasthan under consideration of the Union Government;

(b) the percentage of capital investment invested by the Union Government for the industrial units in the State during the year 1988-89, 1989-90 and 1990-91;

(c) whether the Government have received proposals from Government of Rajasthan to set up new industrial units in Rajasthan; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (PROF. P.J. KURIEN): (a) As on 30th June, 1991, 172 proposals were pending for the grant of letters of Intent for the setting up of industrial units in the State of Rajasthan.

(b) Statewise percentage of Investment by Central Public Sector Undertakings is

available only upto 1989-90. The said percentage for Rajasthan for 1988-89 was 1.44 and for 1989-90, it was 1.51.

(c) and (d). As on 30th June, 1991, 6 proposals received from the Rajasthan State Industrial Development and Investment Corporation Ltd. for grant of Letters of Intent for the setting up of industrial units in Rajasthan were pending for consideration. The proposed items of manufacture include tomato paste/concentrate, vanaspati, tool-room products, methanol and Alphas Olephin Sulphonate.

[Translation]

IAS Officers

4884. PROF. RASA SINGH RAWAT: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the total number of IAS officers in the country at present, State-wise;

(b) the number of IAS officers out of them belonging to the rural and urban background, separately;

(c) whether Government have any special scheme for appointing rural talents on this high prestigious post; and

(d) the number of IAS officers out of them belonging to Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes respectively, State-wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS (SHRIMATI MARGARET ALVA): (a) The total number of I.A.S. officers in the country is 5334 as on 1.8.1991. The cadre-wise strength is shown in attached statement 'A'

(b) when information about rural & urban background of I.A.S. officer is available

for the officers working in the I.A.S. as on 1.1.1991. The information is shown in attached statement 'B'.

(c) The appointment to IAS is made through a competitive examination strictly

on the basis of merit. The selection process has been on devised so as to ensure that it is not tilted towards candidates of any particular background.

(d) As given in Statement below:-

STATEMENT-A*Cadre-wise total number of IAS Officers vis-a-vis number of scheduled caste and scheduled tribe IAS officers as on 01/08/1991*

S. No.	State	Total No. of IAS Officers	Out of them No. of		
			SC Officers	ST Officers	
1	2	3	4	5	
1.	Assam Meghalaya	213	6		32
2.	Andhra Pradesh	331	43		14
3.	Bihar	408	37		24
4.	Gujarat	253	25		9
5.	Himachal Pradesh	140	11		12
6.	Haryana	233	34		2
7.	Jammu & Kashmir	118	7		4
8.	Kerala	195	24		6
9.	Karnataka	265	37		9
10.	Maharashtra	356	43		12

S. No.	State	Total No. of IAS Officers	Out of them No. of				
			SC Officers	ST Officers			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
11.	Madhya Pradesh	398	42	20			
12.	Manipur Tripura	171	5	30			
13.	Nagaland	60	-	21			
14.	Orissa	216	18	6			
15.	Punjab	197	28	1			
16.	Rajasthan	263	25	14			
17.	Sikkim	59	3	15			
18.	Tamil Nadu	339	47	10			
19.	Uttar Pradesh	554	77	11			
20.	Union Territories	245	24	18			
21.	West Bengal	320	30	15			
Total		5334	566	285			

STATEMENT-B

Cadre-wise total number of IAS Officers and out of them number of officers belonging to urban and rural background (as on 1/1/1991)

S. No.	State	Total No. of IAS Officers	Out of them No. of Officers Belonging To:	
			Urban	Rural
1	2	3	4	5
1.	*Assam Meghalaya	196	131	65
2.	Andhra Pradesh	312	217	95
3.	Bihar	383	270	113
4.	Gujarat	241	150	91
5.	Himachal Pradesh	129	94	35
6.	Haryana	206	171	35
7.	Jammu & Kashmir	98	54	44
8.	Kerala	161	62	99
9.	Karnataka	258	187	71

S. No.	State	Total No. of IAS Officers	Out of them No. of Officers Belonging To:		5
			Urban	4	
1	2	3			
10.	Maharashtra	339	225	114	
11.	Madhya Pradesh	378	283	95	
12.	*Manipur Tripura	135	106	29	
13.	Nagaland	51	28	23	
14.	Orissa	202	121	81	
15.	Punjab	177	141	36	
16.	Rajasthan	241	173	68	
17.	Sikkim	44	23	21	
18.	Tamil Nadu	305	220	85	
19.	Uttar Pradesh	530	390	140	

S. No.	State	Total No. of IAS Officers	Out of them No. of Officers Belonging To:	
			Urban	Rural
1	2	3	4	5
20.	**Union Territories	197	138	59
21.	West Bengal	298	235	63
	Total	4881	3456	1425

*Assam Meghalaya and Manipur & Tripura are joint cadres.

** Includes Arunachal Pradesh, Goa, Mizoram, Union Territories.